

## CLAIMS

1) A paint brush holder consisting of one part continuous material of spring content, formed to such a position as explained and illustrated in accompanying drawings herein, as to allow the user to position the paint brush holder on the rim of a container of varying type and size and to hold a paint brush of varying type and size without modifying or attaching any other part or component to the paint brush holder.

A rectangular spring for grip on the paint container and one part being longer and narrower than the other for to prevent overlap of spring against itself when not in use and a section formed to allow the paint brush holder to be gripped by the users thumb and finger. When said narrow rectangular section is placed on the inside rim of the container and a formed section held by thumb and finger is pulled away from container, the paint brush holder can be pushed downwards onto the rim of the container and when released it grips said container.

The section of the paint brush holder that receives the paint brush is lower than in one section and parallel to another section and acts on the inertia (forward movement) of the paint brush when the paint brush is placed in the paint brush holder for the purposes of keeping the bristles of the paint brush over the container and any dripping from the said paint brush is directed into the container when the paint brush is not in use. The paint brush when in the holder is surrounded at four points which inhibit the lateral movement of the paint brush allowing the user to carry the container by it's handle, as is necessary in the normal process of painting with paint container and paint brush.

2) A paint brush holder as claimed in claim 1, of spring material formed to such a position as to allow the user to attach the paint brush holder to a paint container of varying type and size and to hold a paint brush of varying type and size without modification or attachment of any other component to the paint brush holder.

3) A paint brush holder as claimed in claim 1 that acts on the inertia of the paint brush.

4) A paint brush holder as claimed in claim 1, that when attached to a paint container, grips the rim by means of a rectangular spring and allows placement of a paint brush in a position where the bristles of the paint brush are within the inner portion of the paint container.

5) A paint brush holder, as claimed in claim 1, that when attached to the paint container allows the user of the paint brush to carry the paint container by the handle when a paint brush is held in the paint brush holder for the purposes of painting using a paint brush and paint container.